

TOWN OF NEWINGTON

131 Cedar Street Newington, Connecticut 06111

Assessor's Office

S. Steven Juda Town Assessor

Memorandum

To: Newington Residents

From: S. Steven Juda

Date: October 24, 2012

Re: Additional Veteran's Exemptions

On October 23, 2012 The Newington Town Council enacted an increase in the additional veteran's exemption from \$2,000 to \$10,000. This exemption is for veterans who meet requirement of active duty service during dates established by Connecticut statutes and the income requirements of subdivision (19) of section 12-81 of Connecticut statutes in accordance with Section 12-81f. The qualifying income limits are \$45,000 for single and married veterans. The qualifying income includes all sources or income including social security. Any applicant will need to bring their 2011 federal income tax return and social security statement at the time of application. At the current mill rate of 32.64 the additional veteran's exemptions of \$8,000 amounts to a tax savings of \$261.12.

This additional veteran's exemption is effective on the Grand List of October 1, 2012. This exemption will impact tax bills of eligible veterans with a billing date of July 1, 2013. All veterans seeking this additional exemption need to apply in the Assessor's office **before December 31, 2012**. The application for this additional exemption is available on the Assessor's web site or in the office.

The deadline for applying for this exemption for the 2013 grand list will be October 1, 2013.

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